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REQUESTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 57899/110 (FPC99026-PCT/US)
In re Application of Lee et al.		
Application Number 09/601,310		Filed May 15, 1999
For METHODS FOR REFORMING POLYMER SURFACE FOR IMPROVED WETTABILITY		
Group Art Unit 1711	Examiner S. Berman	

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$55/\$110) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$205/\$410) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - (\$465/\$930) \$ 930
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) - (\$725/\$1450) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$985/\$1970) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☒ A check to cover the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 14-1138.  
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- I am the ☐ applicant/inventor
- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
  - ☒ attorney or agent of record.
  - ☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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